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DEPT PASS ERDA FOR SIEVERING

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: MNUC, PFOR, UR, US

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL NUCLEAR POLICY STATEMENT; US-USSR ATOMIC  
ENERGY COOPERATION

REF: (A) STATE 068973, (B) STATE 066008

1. IN CONNECTION WITH REFTEL A, WE WOULD APPRECIATE SOONEST COMMENTS  
AND CLARIFICATION FROM DEPARTMENT AND ERDA ON HOW THIS POLICY WILL  
AFFECT COOPERATIVE ACTIVITIES UNDER THE US-USSR ATOMIC ENERGY  
BILATERAL.

2. EMBASSY PERCEIVES FOLLOWING TO BE DIRECTLY AFFECTED:

(A) THE FAST BREEDER REACTOR PROGRAM, 07.02, UNDER WHICH WE AFFIRMED  
INTEREST IN TESTING A CLINCH RIVER BREEDER TYPE STEAM GENERATOR IN  
THE SOVIET BN-350 FAST BREEDER IN SHEVCHENKO DURING THE FOURTH MEETIN  
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OF THE US-USSR JOINT COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY DECEMBER 9, 1976.

(B6 HYBRID FUSION REACTOR. WE HAVE RECEIVED BUT NOT YET TRANSMITTED  
TO THE SOVIETS THE SIEVERING LETTER TRANSMITTED REF B STATING THAT  
ERDA WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THE PLANNED JOINT WORK BY THE  
ELECTRIC POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND THE KURCHATOV ATOMIC ENERGY  
INSTITUTE IN THE FIELD OF FUSION-FISSION HYBRIDS. WE ARE DELAYING

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TRANSMITTAL OF THE SIEVERING LETTER TO PETROSYANTS AWAITING  
DEPARTMENT AND ERDA RESPONSE.

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